

Appl. No. 10/675,775  
Amendment dated April 20, 2005  
Response to Office Action of January 25, 2005

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**Remarks**

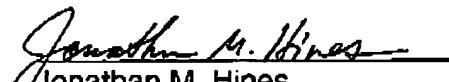
This application has been carefully reviewed in light of the Office Action of January 25, 2005. Claims 1-13 are currently pending. Applicant requests further review and reconsideration in light of the following remarks.

Claims 1-13 have been rejected under the judicially-created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1-5 of U.S. Patent No. 6,198,814.

A Terminal Disclaimer executed by the assignee of record is being submitted with this Response. Accordingly, it is requested that the double patenting rejection be withdrawn.

In view of the above, it is submitted that the claims are in condition for allowance. Allowance of claims 1-13 at an early date is solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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